



**TARIFF PICTURES.**  
In Omaha, Neb., earnings of employes in manufacturing averaged \$431 a year in 1880. They averaged \$640 in 1890. The aggregate wages paid rose accordingly from \$730,000 to \$4,700,000.

No Eastern city makes a better showing than this.

—New York Press.

**OH, MY!**  
*Frankfort Capital.*—The Danville Advertiser pluckily says: "We are in this Capital fight. Keep your eye on Danville." Good idea! If you once take it off you may not be able to again find the "oh my little city."

**HIS BUDY DAY.**  
Washington Post.—Ex-Governor Campbell has been out in Ohio telling the boys what an easy task it will be to beat McKinley. At the same time he announces that he will not have time to be elected Governor this year.

**DON'T WANT HEATHENS.**  
New York Post.—That church at Hartford that requested an altar to stop coming to its services must have a peculiar idea of the mission of a church. It is something like a hospital sending a man away because he is too sick.

**WHAT FREE-TRADE MEANS.**  
New York Advertiser.—Gradually the mask is being removed, and the Calhouites are becoming bolder and more vociferous in their demand that a tax shall be levied upon tea, coffee and sugar. In order that our markets may be made free to the British manufacturers.

**WILD CAT FINANCES.**  
Boston Journal.—The Tennessee Legislature has passed a bill for a state bank currency, with Tennessee state and county bonds for a basis. People who remember that ten years ago Tennessee issued its indebitable fifty per cent. notes, and that Memphis made itself a bad district to escape the payment of its debts, will appreciate the value of this basis.

**BAD DEMOCRATIC DOCTRINE.**  
Richmond (Va.) Dispatch (Dem.).—The American brand of tobacco must be kept free from taxes on sugar, tea and coffee. American tobacco must be preferred to that from Sumatra; American cotton to Egyptian cotton; American manufactured tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, etc., to foreign manufactured tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, etc. In a word, a country which raises hundreds of millions of dollars annually by levying internal taxes cannot do otherwise than lay countervailing customs duties in order to prevent that country from being ruined.

**THE NEXT STEP.**  
At a semi-private dinner in Washington recently Secretary of the Interior Blake Smith was one of the guests and was called upon for a speech. Quite a number of newspapermen were present and Mr. Smith concluded his remarks with an appeal to them to stand by the Administration and stop criticizing it. His remarks were pitched in a strong religious strain. When Mr. Smith sat down the gentleman who was presiding at the dinner said with a perfectly grave face: "The choir will now sing, 'I want to be an angel.' There was a burst of laughter followed. Mr. Smith's eulogy was a complete failure."

**COMPENSATING HEADS.**  
New York Press.—Democratic "civil service reformers" attempt to misrepresent the record of Headman Maxwell by declaring that he made 875 Postoffice changes during the first month of the present Administration, while his Republican predecessor in the same time made 1,328 changes. They fail to state, however, that the latter began his duties seven days earlier than the former, the only fair comparison is the first eighteen days of the two Administrations. Such a comparison shows that Maxwell made 1,329 changes in this time against 1,328 changes made by his Republican predecessor. This is a "reform" Administration with a vengeance.

**AMBERING THE CHANGERS.**  
Louisville Commercial.—We can lay our hands on a few men owning over 500 acres of land which could not be bought from them for \$100 an acre, but which is returned for taxation at \$40 per acre. We know a gentleman, not unknown in this country about taxation who bought a farm for \$13,000 and returned it for taxation at \$10,000, though the Tax Commissioners subsequently raised his assessment to \$16,000. The average value of lands for assessment purposes is put, in Fayette and Bourbon, as far as odd dollars, while there is hardly an acre of land in either county that can be bought for twice that sum. Banks and incorporated companies and merchants, who keep books, are assessed 100 cents on every dollar, while farmers are not assessed 50 cents on the dollar. If we are to have equality of taxation we must have equality of assessments.

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SECOND YEAR. MAYSVILLE, KY., WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 1893. ONE CENT.

## ARRIVALS

Miss Lillie Walther is visiting relatives at Ripley.

O. P. Doty of Hanging Rock was in the city yesterday.

Newton Stephenson of Ripley was in the city yesterday.

Ruben J. Stidwell of Winchester was in the city yesterday.

Harry Stout of Paris visited friends at Maysville Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Summers of Helena was in the city yesterday on a visit to relatives.

On Tuesday A. B. Stoddard attended the funeral of his sister at Morefield yesterday.

Miss Alice Wheeler has returned home after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Slack of Bristol, Tenn.

Lee Kiehey, W. L. Stephen, James Mullin and Ed. Johnson of Georgetown were in the city yesterday.

Miss Ollie Paul of Flemingsburg and Miss Mae Ford of Helena will be guests Friday of Miss Lillie Thompson at Paris.

The Hon. Judge Heard and wife of Soda, Mo., have returned home after a visit to Mrs. Lucy M. Keith and other friends.

Joseph W. Morford of Middleboro' spent a few days with his mother and sisters on his return to Middleboro' from Gas City.

J. H. Schwabacher, the bicycle man who has been here for several days, goes to Manchester today, where he will work in the office of the firm he represents.

## DEPARTURES

In response to a telegram sent at 9 o'clock the night before, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Griffith arrived at 9:15 yesterday morning from Indianapolis, Ind., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Griffith's mother, Mrs. Isaac M. Lane.

J. Powell Smith of Washington City, with a number of railroad officials, has been making an extended tour through Texas, New Mexico and the Indian Territory, and upon his return here he is expected to make a long stop at the city of Washington.

H. W. Frankenstein, a gentleman from Philadelphia who has been making the furniture business on the pay-dable-to-every-one-while plan at Cincinnati, failed for \$3,000. Preferences were given for \$1,000, and the assets are said to be \$250.

About one-half the Union carpenters of Lexington quit work because their employers refused to keep them longer if they remained members of the Union. The carpenters said a secret meeting, but the proceedings cannot be learned. The contractors will hold a meeting to-night to discuss the matter and it is likely some action will be taken whereby the building interests of Lexington will be saved from suffering.

## LOCAL NEWS

**SENATOR BLACKBURN** is now at his home in Versailles.

**REPORTS FROM CENTRAL KENTUCKY** say that the fruit crop is not injured.

**AN BROWN** who has been very sick for quite a while is still in a precarious condition.

The Cincinnati Gas Company has voted to issue \$750,000 additional stock for betterment.

**PETITION HINES** was filed \$770 this morning by May Pearce for failing to provide for his family.

**JOHN J. MILLER** of Flemingsburg has gone to Yukon, Oklahoma Territory, where he expects to reside in the future.

At the last meeting of the City Council of Ashland hills were allowed aggregating \$2,000.30, of which \$1,000 was for water.

SAY, boys, Congressman Paynter will leave Washington today, and will be "at home" in Greenvale for some time to come.

The members of Fidelity Division, S. T., will meet at their hall at 1 o'clock this afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. Isaac M. Lane.

**ALFRED DOUGLASS** of Richmond is another Kentuckian who wants to superintend the construction of Uncle Sam's Public Buildings.

**BROWN & CO.** are preparing to send out an unusually large number of circulars directing attention to their choice spring and summer lines.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Isaac M. Lane will take place from the M. E. Church at 3 o'clock this afternoon, with services by the Rev. D. R. Hill.

**T. M. FOWLER** and wife, charged with grand larceny, have given bail for their appearance before the Circuit Court. They waited examination.

At Harrodsburg a reputed mad dog bit Martin Penland and several animals. Several of the latter died from what was pronounced hydrophobia.

The Maysville Manufacturing Company has been awarded the contract for the work of G. A. Cassidy's handsome residence at Flemingsburg.

The citizens of Paris closed their places of business during the funeral of ex-Mayor W. P. Chambers, as an expression of the esteem in which he was held.

**DR. JOHN C. KILLGORE** of New Richmond, O., will soon locate in Maysville and occupy the office in the Mitchell Building on Third street, now occupied by Dr. C. C. Owens.

**GEORGE R. ZELLER**, Grand Warden, visited Judge Leake, I. O. O. F., last night and gave the members an entertaining and instructive talk. He will visit Harrodsburg this evening.

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GREAT BRITAIN proposes to provide for its governmental deficit of £1,574,000 by increasing its income tax. Democratic tariff reformers are nging a similar remedy for the threatened deficit in the United States.

The Governor of South Carolina having but one eye can be expected to see but one side of a question, and that of course the South Carolina side. This will probably be his only defense when called to explain before a Federal Court why he ordered county sheriffs to seize for taxes a railroad over which a receiver, appointed by a Federal Court, presided. One of these sheriffs, who is but a creature of Governor TILMAN, has been fined \$500 for contempt, and two other sheriffs are now in the line of succession to equally fill the place. The belief had been more or less popular that the idea that a state is bigger than UNCLE SAM was shot out of South Carolina a few years ago.

The New York price of tin plate is now \$5.50 per box, the same price that prevailed nine months before the McKinley tariff went into effect. The Liverpool price, which six months before the McKinley bill went into effect was \$4.23 per box, is now \$3.97. The gist of these statements is the fact that while the foreign tin plate market receives \$1.50 per box less for his plate than he did before the tax was increased, the American consumer pays no more. The foreigner pays a great part or all the duty. A continuance of this tin plate duty will encourage the increase of tin plate making in this country and lead to the lowering of tin plate prices. The duty is taken off our tin plate, the British makers will put up the price high enough to get back the duty they have been paying and our consumers will pay more than ever.

"A WOMAN'S Devotion," for the benefit of the Washington Fire Company, May 10th, 11th and 12th.

THE WHITE CITY.

The Condition of Exhibits Well Advanced

In Comparison With Other Similar Expositions the First Week.

Admiral Gherardi and a Large Party of Naval Officers to Visit the Fair. The Duke Makes a Call on Mayor Harrison.

CHICAGO, May 3.—Although considerably fatigued by his experience Monday, the Duke of Veragua did not neglect to pay his respects to Mayor Harrison Tuesday. Accompanied by his brother, the Marquis de Barbules, and Commander Dickins, he paid an official call at the city hall. Mayor Harrison and cabinet were expecting the visit and received the party with due ceremony. The duke made a short address, acknowledging the courtesies shown him by the city. The mayor assured the duke that his visit to the city was an honor and after a few more courtesies the duke withdrew.

Two new daily papers have made their appearance in Chicago. The first is known as the Official Record, edited by Maj. Handy, chief of the bureau of publicity and promotion. It is made up of a page each of the Chicago morning dailies, with a page devoted to the official programme. The second is a special Chicago edition of the New York Herald. It made its appearance Tuesday morning, and consisted of eight pages of news and an eight page supplement. It is issued from the Mail building.

At 5 o'clock the duke and duchess were entertained by the wife of the Spanish commissioner, Mme. du Puy de Lome, at the Hotel Metropole, and Tuesday the entire party occupied ten boxes at the Auditorium to witness future Kiralfy's historical spectacle, "America."

The attendance at the World's fair Tuesday was small when compared with the number visiting Monday when over 500,000 persons passed through the gates. The mud that presided everywhere Monday has rapidly drying up and the force of landscape artists are working wonders with the topography of the park. The work of construction which ceased Monday began again Tuesday and will be pushed with greatest rapidity to completion. While the exposition is a rugged and incomplete show, there is much to be seen. The director-general now announces that within a fortnight the exhibits will all be installed, and within thirty days every thing connected with the fair—the concessions in the Midway Plaisance—will be ready for the public.

As matters now stand the exposition is far ahead of any thing similarly attempted before.

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NORTH DAKOTA FLOOD.  
PENDING N. D. M. A.—The flood is spreading all over the streets of the town, and the river is still rising. In South Pembina people generally have left their homes and are taking refuge in the upper stories of their houses. They go about in boats, getting in and out of their houses through the windows.

HIGH WATER.

The Recent Heavy Rains Cause Much Damage to Ohio Farmers.

MILAN, May 3.—The heavy rain of the past three days has done thousands of dollars damage in this section of the Miami valley. Hundreds of acres of wheat are drowned out, and the farmers have been kept back from planting their corn and potatoes. The Great Miami River is higher than it has been for years and is still rising. Lower river districts are entirely submerged, nearly all of the residents being compelled to desert their homes.

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 3.—Hundreds of men are guarding the banks of Lewistown reservoir, the second largest artificial body of water in the world, which threatens to give way, the water being higher than ever known before. The loss will be stupendous if the break does occur.

CLEVELAND, O., May 3.—At noon the water reached a point within three feet six inches of the high-water mark of 1884 and was still rising at about an inch an hour. The water is threatening the city of Cleveland. Trains on the Baltimore & Ohio are being run on the Panhandle via Desden between this city and Newark. A hundred houses in the Severn and Eighth wards are filled with water half way between the first floor and ceiling, and in many of them the furniture is floating around precariously.

The loss will amount to thousands of dollars, falling on a class of people who can least afford it. Ice houses situated along the bank of the river are filled with water and, it is feared, will be washed away.

REVOLT IN CUBA.

A Popular Uprising and a Flooding to the Standard of Cuba.  
KEY WEST, Fla., May 3.—The schooner LITTLE arrived here from Havana, Cuba, and reports the Cuban flag floating over the fortress. The revolution is in number 1,100 and in possession of the city. A schooner arrived there from San Domingo on April 20 with men and ammunition for the revolutionists. Expeditionary forces are being fitted out in Jamaica and San Domingo under direction of Gen. Quesada for the southern provinces. Gen. Rulard is here and it is believed he will direct operations from Florida ports for the southern provinces. Cubans are enthusiastic over the news and believe many of them are anxiously awaiting an opportunity to get to the island.

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What is Taking Place in the White City by the Lake.

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PARKERS, Kas., May 3.—A bold and partially successful train robbery, committed by six bandits, is supposed to be members of the notorious Starr gang, of whom Perry Starr is leader, took place at Perry Creek, 1 T., the scene of many daring robberies, at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday night. The train was the Missouri, Kansas and Texas southbound passenger, which left here at 4:30 Tuesday afternoon. When the train reached Perry Creek, which is at a bend in the road and an eminence in such a position that men emerged from the darkness, and after signaling the train proceeded to the front end. The engineer, fireman and conductor and brakemen were quickly covered with revolvers and marched from the train.

While two of the men guarded the trainmen, the other four entered the express car. They threatened the messenger with pistol and knife, ordering him to open the safe, but he refused to accede to their demands. Failing in this they went to the back part of the train and relieved all the passengers of their money. Considerable consternation resulted, and several ladies fainted. After depositing the money and valuables in such a hasty manner, the bandits, who had their pistols in the air, and escaped in the darkness. President Martin, of the Kansas City and Pittsburg and Great Bend, was among the passengers. The amount of booty secured by the bandits is unknown, but it is supposed to be considerably over \$2,000.

Several Plantations Flooded.  
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 3.—In the Arkansas river the total rise for the past five hours is only about six feet, but the highest point has probably been reached. The flood creek levee, Johnson county, broke Tuesday morning, and flooded several hundred acres of land which had been planted chiefly in cotton. The John D. Adams' place was one. A few miles below Little Rock Gen. Rulard is here and it is believed he will direct operations from Florida ports for the southern provinces. Cubans are enthusiastic over the news and believe many of them are anxiously awaiting an opportunity to get to the island.

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Nineteen thousand workers in Iowa mills at Dundee, Northland, struck.

Three hundred Chinamen applied to the collector of internal revenue at Chicago for permission to register.

J. H. Stagg was arrested at Madisonville, Tenn., for killing his brother-in-law, T. H. Talbot.

Ex-servant of Agriculture Bunk left Washington with his family Tuesday for their home at Virrova, Va.

An effort is being made to elect Postmaster General James M. Allison of the "family" of Yale university alumni.

Nashville pool rooms attempted to sell pools on the Cumberland park race and are raided by the police.

Empress of China crossed from China to Vancouver, B. C., in 10 days and 23 hours, being the second fastest trip on record.

Duke of Kildare, a famous Irish settler, has been sold by W. L. Wyckoff, of Pittsburgh, to J. W. Winkler, of Portland, Ore.

Memorial services in honor of James G. Blaine were held Tuesday night under the auspices of the city of Boston.

Minister Frye, of Maine, was the chief orator.

The supreme court of Kansas decided that railroad commissioners can be removed by the governor. This decision puts the commission into the hands of populists.

United States customs authorities at New York, N. D., seized 500 pounds of opium and arrested a young man named Hall. It is believed he has been playing his illegal trade for five feet inches tall, with dark, sandy mustache, and the name of George in India ink on his right arm, was caught at the docks.

The sum of \$21.21 was found in his pocket.

Joe McAlliff, the "Mission Boy," has been awarded a cash prize of \$1,000 by the J. C. Goddard at any club that he will offer the largest purse and allow him \$250 for his expenses. Goddard will sell the prize.

Lee Ashley, of Clifton, W. Va., lost four toes and sustained other injuries while unloading a car on the Hocking Valley switch at the Clifton, Ohio, steel plant. He has saved the railroad company for \$10,000 damages.

E. C. Camp, one of the most prominent men of Knoxville, Tenn., has been sued for divorce, his wife alleging that he has not provided for her and has treated her cruelly with cruelty. They have been married since 1908.

The Washington Post says gossip declares that Secretary Herbert, of the navy department, and Mrs. Manning, widow of the secretary of the treasury, are to be married in the near future. The first test of their first illustration, will certainly marry this summer.

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